

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

IN RE: PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY
AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE
LITIGATION

MDL NO. 1456

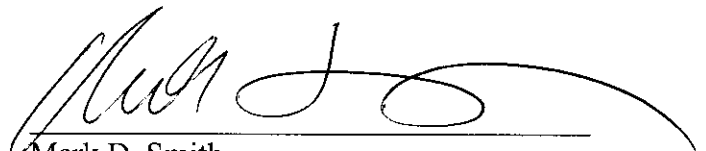
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:
State of Minnesota v. Pharmacia Corporation,
Civil Action No. 02-10069-PBS
State of Nevada v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et
al., Civil Action No. 02-12085-PBS

CIVIL ACTION: 01-CV-12257-PBS

Judge Patti B. Saris

CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO LOCAL RULE 7.1

Undersigned counsel hereby certifies that Scott Stempel, counsel for Pfizer, Inc. and Pharmacia Corporation and Pharmacia and Upjohn, Inc., conferred with counsel for certain plaintiffs and attempted to confer with counsel for all Plaintiffs in an effort to narrow the issues raised in Defendants' Motion for a Case Management Order Coordinating Discovery. The parties were unable to resolve or narrow the issues raised in the aforementioned Motion for Reconsideration, or in the Alternative, for Certification of an Interlocutory Appeal Order.


Mark D. Smith

Dated: September 17, 2003

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true copy of the
above document was served upon the
attorney of record for each other party
by mail hand on September 17, 2003
